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Applicant: Cao

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Examiner: Jackie Zuniga

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM ENABLING WEB CONTENT

SEARCHING FROM A REMOTE SET-TOP CONTROL

INTERFACE

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## COMMENTS ON THE EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Sir:

In reply to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, provided with the Notice of Allowance dated November 5, 2012, Applicant submits the following comments.

On page 3 of the Notice of Allowability, under the heading " Allowable Subject Matter" the Examiner presents statements regarding the rationales used to allow the claims

Applicant agrees that the indicated claims are allowable. However,
Applicant wishes to note the following. Notwithstanding the Examiner's
comments, Applicant relies on the rationales set forth in his earlier responses
and the specification as support for the allowance of the claims. Further,
Applicant does not agree that patentability resides in each feature exactly as
expressed in the claims, nor that each feature is required for patentability of
each claim.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3777 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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